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Air Quality Inspector to Head Air Monitoring Center

Salt Lake City, Utah – Bowen "Bo" Call, a 16-year enforcement inspector for the Division of Air Quality (DAQ), has been selected as the manager of the Air Monitoring Center, replacing longtime veteran Bob Dalley who retired earlier this year.

"We are delighted Bo has accepted this position," said Cheryl Heying, director of DAO. "This is one of the more important jobs as it informs people of current air pollution levels on an hourly basis. Many of us rely on that information to make choices about whether the air is healthy or not."

Call begins managing the Air Monitoring Center on Monday, March 9.

As an enforcement inspector, Call had the occasional duty on 'smoke patrol,' which means he responded to complaints about people using their wood burning stove on high pollution days during the winter when burning is prohibited.

Call said he welcomes a change from enforcement inspector to data collector.

"I am really excited about this," Call said. "The Air Monitoring Center focuses on the state of our air quality as it exists and making sure we monitor it properly to have the best and most accurate information for people to make good decisions."

Call, 44, lives in South Weber with his wife, Tamie and four children, ages 2 to 10. He received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Utah State in 1991. Growing up he spent most of his time in California and Las Vegas but has been here in Utah since college. He also is a member of the U.S. Air Force Reserve.

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